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For: BENZIMIDAZOLE DERIVATIVES AS RAF KINASE INHIBITORS

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR § 1.116

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Sir:

This is in response to the final Office Action mailed May 5, 2008, in respect to the above-reference patent application. A payment for a one month extension of time is submitted herewith. It is believed that no further fees are required to be paid with this paper; however, the Director is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 50-3380, referencing Attorney Docket No. 978725.5/MPG-P0004. Please amend the patent application as set forth below.